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From: Vicki Eisenhower [providence54@hotmail.com]
Sent: Saturday, July 31, 2004 7:54 PM
To: Michael Copps
Subject: Violence on TV

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Commissioner Michael Copps
445 12th Street SW
Washington, DC 20554

Commissioner Copps:

I do not as a parent or myself feel that violence is necessary for entertainment on tv. My children nor I want to view people beating each other to a pulp or raping women etc in order to watch tv for entertainment. There is enough violence in this world without showing it on tv for young impressionable children to view it. I would appreciate family oriented respectful shows to view for my family and myself that teach values and morality.

Sincerely,

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Sent: Saturday, July 31, 2004 7:54 PM
To: Commissioner Adelstein
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